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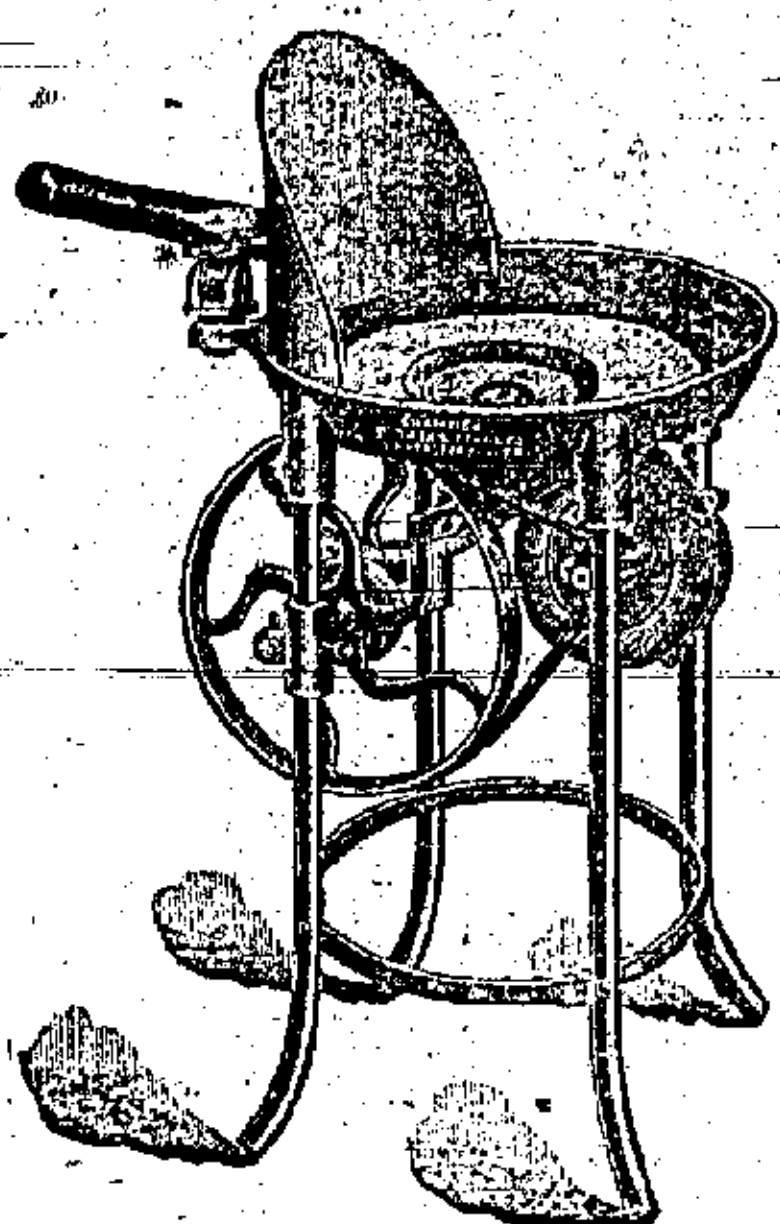
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BEST QUALITY LIQUORS & PROVISIONS.

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DOCTOR OF DENTAL SURGERY

10, DES VOUX ROAD, CENTRAL.

Hours 10 a.m. to Noon; 2 to 5 p.m.

DR. PETERSON will visit SWATOW

in September.

Hongkong, August 28, 1900.

KANG LEE & Co.

Jewellers, Gold and Silver

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DEALERS IN

SILK and IVORY WARE, CHINESE

and JAPANESE CURIOS.

An exceptionally fine stock of the latest

Goods always on hand.

Prices very moderate.

A trial is respectfully solicited.

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Hongkong, January 1, 1900.

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HIGH CLASS ENGLISH PIANOS.

\$450, Payable in one year. Tuning Free.
Net Cash \$400.



Several PIANOS returned from Hire in good order. Very
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The Robinson Piano Co., Ltd.

Absolutely Guaranteed.

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON having CLAIMS
Against the Estate of the late Lieut.
Colonel M. R. RYAN, R.A.M.C., are
requested to submit the same to the Under-
signed by the 25th September, 1900, after
which date NO CLAIMS can be enter-
tained.

M. A. TUTT,
3rd M.L.I.,
President Committee
of Adjustment.
Hongkong, August 29, 1900.

MINERAL ASSAYS & ANALYSES.

THE YANKEE VALLEY SYNDICATE, Ltd.,
having its own well-equipped Labora-
tory, is prepared, in order to assist in the
Mineral Development of China, to do Assay
work of all descriptions. Quantitative
Analysis, and to classify minerals for Mine
owners and others.

Mines as well as Minerals of Economic
value purchased and consultations arranged
by appointment.
Terms moderate.
Address: THE LABORATORY,
45, Szechuen Road.
Cable Address, 'YANGKES,' Shanghai.
13th August, 1900.

SANITARY BOARD

OWNERS of HOUSES Situated in the
Eastern Division of the City of Victo-
ria, and in the Eastern Division of Evi-
ton, who have not had their Premises
Limewashed and Cleaned in accordance
with Law, are reminded that the period
during which the work should be finished
ends on the 31st day of August, 1900, and
the Sanitary Board being convinced of
Cleanliness in its efforts to Stamp out
Plague, is determined to rigorously pro-
secute any owner in default after the above-
named Date.

The Eastern Division of the City lies to
the East of Garden Road. The Eastern
Division of Kowloon is all that Part of the
Kowloon Peninsula to the East of Robbin-
son Road, and includes Hung Hom and
Part of Tsau Sha Tsui.

By Order,
G. A. WOODCOCK,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, August 1, 1900.

'KIRIN.'

A Delicate
Lager.

THE CELEBRATED BEER OF
JAPAN.

QUARTS, \$2.90 per dozen.

PINTS, \$1.75 do.

W. HUTTON POTTS,

Sole Agents for Hongkong.

THE Peak Hotel.

CITY OFFICE,
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HOTEL CRAIGIEBURN.

PLUNKET'S GAP, THE PEAK.

near the Tram Terminus. Telephone 56

For Terms,

Apply to the MANAGER.

TEBRAU PLANTING COMPANY,
LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that in Accord-
ance with Article IX, Paragraph
3, of the Articles of Association of the
Company, the following SHARES have
been FORFEITED:

10701-10900	12691-13185
11061-11085	14680-14785
11886-11935	15746-16085
12136-12285	

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.

Hongkong, August 18, 1900.

OLIVERS FREEHOLD MINES,
LIMITED.

IN Accordance with Article VIII,
Paragraph 3, of the Articles of
Association of the Company, Interest at
the Rate of \$10.00 per annum is being
CHARGED ON ALL UNPAID CALLS.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.

Hongkong, August 17, 1900.

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE.

A POWERFUL TWIN-SCREW
RIVER STEAMER, very suitably
fitted to carry large number of Passengers
and Cargo.

For Particulars, apply to

BANKER & Co.

Hongkong, July 31, 1900.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON

WHARF AND GODOWN CO.,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND at the

Rate of 6% (Five Dollars and

Fifty Cents per Share) for the Six

Months ending 30th June, 1900, will be

PAID to those Persons who are Registered

as Shareholders in the above Company on

the 31st August, 1900.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 27th to

the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

EDWARD OSBORNE,
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 16, 1900.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS

are requested to send in a Statement

of Business Contributed during the Half

Year ended 30th June, 1900, on or before

the 15th September, on which date the

Accounts will be CLOSED.

By order of the Board of Directors,
THOS. I. ROSE,

Secretary.

Hongkong, August 24, 1900.

WANTED.

BY a YOUNG GERMAN LADY, a

Position as GOVERNESS, to Young

Children.

Apply to

G. H.

Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.

Hongkong, August 4, 1900.

Shipping.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

POSTPONEMENT.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship

HAI CHING.

Captain HALL, will be despatched for the

above Ports on FRIDAY, the 31st Inst.,

at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LARSEN & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, August 29, 1900. 1807

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's New Steamship,

DIAMANTE.

Captain A. RAMSAY, will be despatched

as above on FRIDAY, the 31st Inst., at 4

p.m.

The attention of Passengers is directed

to the excellent Accommodation provided

by this Steamer. She is fitted throughout

with Electric Light.

A Doctor is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, August 24, 1900. 1743

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND

YOKOHAMA.

THE Company's Steamship

RADNORSHIRE.

Captain HADLEY, Commander, will be despatched

for the above Ports on or about FRIDAY,

the 31st August.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 24, 1900. 1791

INDO CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship

CHILYDRA.

Captain DAVIES, will be despatched as above

on SATURDAY, the 1st September, at

Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHISON & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, August 29, 1900. 1792

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE Company's Steamship

KANSU.

Captain ROBERTSON, will be despatched

as above on SUNDAY, the 2nd Instant, at

Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 29, 1900. 1814

THE OSACA SHOSUN KAISHA, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO.

THE Company's Steamship

ANPING MARU.

Captain S. ARIMOTO, will be despatched for the

above Ports, on FRIDAY, the 31st

September, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 29, 1900. 1770

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.'s NEW YORK LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ.

THE Steamship

GLENESK

will be despatched for the above Port on

or about 15th September.

To be followed by the S. S. ANAPA,

about 15th October.

For Freight, apply to

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 18, 1900. 1744

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship

TAIYUAN.

Captain NELSON, will be despatched on

THURSDAY, the 29th Sept., at Noon.

The attention of Passengers is directed

to the Superior Accommodation offered by

this Steamer. The First-class Saloon is situated

forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating

Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh

Provisions during the entire voyage.

A duly-qualified Surgeon is carried, and the

Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric

Light.

For Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 27, 1900. 1803

Shipping.

THE OSACA SHOSUN KAISHA, LD.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO.

THE Company's Steamship

MAIDZU MARU.

Captain T. OZAKI, will be despatched for the

above Ports on SUNDAY, the 2nd

September, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 27, 1900. 1794

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA, CEBU AND ILOILO.

THE Company's Steamship

KAIFONG.

Captain P. PASSENIER, will be despatched

on SUNDAY, the 2nd September, at

Daylight.

The attention of Passengers is directed

to the Superior Accommodation offered by

this Steamer. The First-class Saloon is situated

forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating

Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh

Provisions during the entire voyage.

A duly-qualified Surgeon is carried, and the

Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric

Light.

For Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 27, 1900. 1787

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship

PROMETHEUS.

Captain DAY, will be despatched as above

on TUESDAY, the 4th September.

For Freight, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 27, 1900. 1623

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship

RICHMOND CASTLE

will be despatched for the above Port on

or about the 31st August, and will be

followed by the Steamship AFRIDI, on or

about the 8th September, and the Steamship

MARIA DE LARRINAGA.

For Freight, apply to

DODWELL & Co., Ltd.,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 26, 1900. 1387

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

REGULAR SERVICE

FOR GERMAN COLONIAL AND

AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

Calling at SAIPAN, PONAPE, FRIEDRICH-

WILHELMSHAGEN, PISCARAFES, HER-

BERTH, HOUE, SANITARIO, ROCKHAMPTON,

BUSHMAN and SYDNEY.

On

WEDNESDAY,

the 5th September, 1900, at Noon, the S.S.

RUNCINEN.

Captain KNIES, with Mails, Passengers,

Specie and Cargo will leave this Port as

above.

The Steamer has splendid accommodation

and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

Linen can be washed on board.

For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 10, 1900. 1550

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND

Ports and taking through Cargo to

ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND,

TASMANIA, &c.)

THE Steamship

AIRLIE.

Captain ST. JOHN GIBSON, will be despatched

for the above Ports on THURSDAY,

the 6th September, at 4 p.m.

This well-known Steamer is especially

fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating

Chamber which ensures the supply of

Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the

voyage.

This Steamer is installed throughout with

the Electric Light.

A Stewardess and a duly-qualified Surgeon

are carried.

N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this

Company to and from AUSTRALIA are available

for return by the Steamers of the Eastern

and Australian S. S. Co., and vice versa.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 17, 1900. 1750

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship

GLAUCUS.

Captain BARWIS, will be despatched as

above on TUESDAY, the 18th September.

For Freight, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 8, 1900. 1697

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND

PORTS, SYDNEY AND

MELBOURNE.

THE Company's Steamship

TAIYUAN.

Captain NELSON, will be despatched on

THURSDAY, the 29th Sept., at Noon.

The attention of Passengers is directed

to the Superior Accommodation offered by

this Steamer. The First-class Saloon is situated

forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating

Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh

Provisions during the entire voyage.

A duly-qualified Surgeon is carried, and the

Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric

Light.

For Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 24, 1900. 1784

Mails.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES

MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN,

EGYPT, MARSEILLES,

MEDITERRANEAN AND

BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON,

HAVRE, BORDEAUX.

PORTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATE.

ON MONDAY, the 10th September,

at 1 p.m., the Company's Steamship

YARA, Captain SCHMITZ, with MAILS,

PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO,

will leave this Port for MARSEILLES

via BOMBAY.

This Steamer connects at COLOMBO

with the s.s. *Ville de la Océan*, which vessel

takes other Passengers and Mails, leaving

that Port on the 22nd September, direct to

SUVA, PORT SAID and MARSEILLES.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and re-

ceived in transit through Marseilles for the

principal Places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till

Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 3

p.m.; Specie and Passes until 2 p.m., on

the 9th September. (Parcels are not to be

sent on board; they must be left at the

Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-

quired.

For further particulars, apply at the

Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, August 28, 1900. 1806

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

TO SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND

SEA OF JAPAN & HONOLULU.

Proposed Sailings from Hongkong.

America Maru, (via

Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama & Honolulu)

Sept. 12, at Daylight.

Longshu Maru, (via

Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea,

Yokohama & Honolulu)

Saturday, Oct. 6, at Noon.

Nippon Maru, (via

Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea,

Yokohama & Honolulu)

Tuesday, Oct. 30, at Noon.

THE Twin-Screw Steamship AMERICA

MARU will be despatched for SAN

FRANCISCO, via AMOI, SHANGHAI,

YANGSHU, KOREA, INLAND SEA,

YOKOHAMA & HONOLULU, on WED-

NESDAY, the 12th Sept., at Daylight,

taking Freight and Passengers for Japan,

the United States, and Europe.

Steamers of this line pass through the

INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at

HONOLULU, and Passengers are allowed

to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to En-

gland, France, and Germany by all trans-

Atlantic lines of steamers and to the

principal cities of the United States or Canada.

Rates may be obtained on application.

Passengers holding through ORDERS

TO EUROPE have the choice of Overland

Rail routes from San Francisco, including

the S